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1. On 9 October 1950, the Chinese Communist authorities at Amoy suddenly halted construction work on underground dugouts and gasoline storage dumps around Hoshan (禾山) Airfield, Amoy. All of the conscripted civilian laborers were sent home.
2. Between 1 and 12 October, the Chinese Communist 10 Army Group, stationed along the Fukien coast, was moved to the interior of the province. On 12 October, Chinese Communist troops at Chinchiang (118-34, 24-54) and Huian (118-48, 25-03) were moved about six miles into the interior. During the same period, the Chinese Communists were continuously sending military supplies by truck from Amoy to Foochow.
3. In mid-September, the Chinese Communists at Swatow began to move the administrative files of the Swatow Municipal Government to Liuhuang (留皇), near Fengshun (116-13, 23-56). Commercial goods were moved to Chieh yang (116-20, 23-32) and Ch'aoan (116-37, 23-42). On 11 October, business in Swatow was at a standstill.*

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* [REDACTED] for further details on the Swatow evacuation.

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